Thursday, September 23, 2010

You are cordially invited to attend an exclusive presentation of Peace Corps. Come learn about the ultimate international volunteer experience and meet the Deputy Director of Peace Corps at this special presentation at 6pm on Tuesday, October 12, 2010!

Hosted by the Michigan State University Peace Corps Office Recruiters Ty Lawson, who served as a Peace Corps Volunteer in Malawi, and Rachel Ellick, who served in Lesotho. They are available to meet with students and community members who are interested applying or learning more about Peace Corps. Contact Ty and Rachel at msupeace@msu.edu, 517.432.7474, Room 202 of the International Center.

While Peace Corps accepts applications year-round on a rolling basis, we highly recommend that you submit your application this fall to receive consideration for added 2011 Peace Corps assignments best matching your qualifications. College Seniors and Graduate Students with Peace Corps aspirations should apply now for available programs after graduation.

Peace Corps is in real need of applicants with English/ESL teaching and tutoring skills, or who are open to gaining a few months of volunteer experience in these areas to qualify. Graduates in all majors could qualify for these programs. Additionally, Peace Corps needs volunteers to work in education; agriculture, forestry and environment; public health and HIV/AIDS prevention; youth and community development; and business and IT. Knowledge of French, Spanish or another language is helpful, although Peace Corps teaches language to its volunteers. Find out how you fit into Peace Corps! We have thousands of new volunteer positions to fill for 2011.

Volunteers of all backgrounds and ages are serving in a variety of fields in 77 countries across the globe. Peace Corps volunteers must be U.S. citizens and at least 18 years of age, but there is no upper age limit for Peace Corps service.

First established by President John F. Kennedy in 1961, the Peace Corps celebrates 50 years of global outreach and service in 2011.

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